

Story of Patsy and the Ice Cream Party

IT WAS a very warm day, indeed. When at last school was done, Patsy went home to hunt up a last summer's cotton dress.



"Did you put in plenty of salt?"

"Where's mamma?" he demanded. "Out," replied Patsy, not looking up from her book.

what's the matter we'll give you one dish of cream. "No," said Patsy. "I guess not. I want share and share alike."

The Ponderous Elephant as a Trained Fighter

SOME of the Indian Rajahs still have a most magnificent and stupendous form of amusement. It is that of setting elephants to fight.



A PLAY-ALGEBRA PUZZLE. The puzzle is: What is the boy carrying? You can find out by figuring correctly.

Not every elephant can be trained to fight. The only ones that are used are young bulls, and they are fed in such a way that they go "mad" or "bad" at certain times of the year.

Each fighting elephant has his own keeper and a whole staff of boy attendants, so that the annual cost of supporting a fighter is about \$1000.

After the Rajah had taken his seat the great army of native spectators crowded to the tops of the walls and looked down into the arena.

the wicked elephant. While some of them kept him engaged with jabs from their heavy spears, the others deftly slipped the chains from the



A LITTLE GAME OF PATTERNS. Cut out the basket, barrels, pail and fan and join them after removing the handles.

thus "saved his bacon" several times. Nobody was killed at the affair that I saw.

Like an Owl, Sees Only at Night

IN a dark and squalid kitchen of a one-story house built on the edge of pasture land off the highways in Cheshire, lives a strange recluse.

Your Eye Will Fool You.

The next time your "crowd" is around you just say "None of you has an eye that is any good. I guarantee that not a single eye in the crowd can see straight."

Story of Turco, the Turtle and Pedro

TURCO the Turtle was awfully tired. He and Pedro, the Other Turtle, had started out that morning to see the world.



TURCO POKED HIS HEAD OUT AND SNAPPED AT THE STICK.

"Get a stick, Brother, and tease him a little." The Boy got a stick and poked Turco. Turco tucked his head and feet and tall all inside his shell, because he was just as afraid as the Boy was.

How Webster Managed to Get Even

THE Darrells and the Wights lived not very far apart. But the two farms lay on the opposite sides of a river.



Making Crystals Without Trouble.

Dissolve ordinary soda in a glass of water, putting in as much soda as the water will take up. Then tie a common bean to a string and let it hang in the water so that it will be entirely submerged.

Spilling of the Fun.

What a lot of fun I'd have if folks would only trust 'n boys, and not say all the time, 'You really mustn't trust.'"

Story of a Pet Gander.

A gentleman noted for his fondness for pets lived on a farm in Kentucky. One morning a ruffling in an inverted barrel just outside the stable door attracted his

attention, and curiosity led him to lift the barrel. Out rushed a large white gander, hissing, flapping his wings and uttering a succession of discordant squawks.

My Father.

My father is a great big man. Most folks would only trust I guess that he ain't much afraid. No matter where he goes.

Solution of Last Sunday's Missing Word Puzzles.

The word that was missing in last Sunday's picture was HEX.

ADVENTUROUS ANN ABROAD. At Naples first she makes a stop. And climbs up to the Craters top.